

## VERY SUCCESSFUL MEETING OF CLARK COUNTY FARMERS' CLUB

Mr. Mae Goff Of Bourbon Talks On Alfalfa And The Soil Suitable For Its Cultivation—Prof. Goode Was Unavoidably Detained.

The meeting of the Clark County Farmers' Club that was held at the court house Saturday afternoon, was one of the most interesting and instructive that the club has ever held and was attended by a large and interested audience of farmers and others.

The only disappointment in carrying out the program was the absence of Prof. Goode, of State University, of Lexington, who was booked to make a talk on the subject of care and breeding of hogs but on account of the State Dairyman's Association being in session there at that time, it was impossible for him to come here.

Mr. Mae Goff, of Bourbon county, one of the largest and most successful growers of alfalfa in the State, was present, and delivered a most interesting talk on the cultivation of alfalfa. In speaking of the soil on which alfalfa would grow best, Mr. Goff said that it would grow alright on land containing plenty of lime but would not grow on damp and poorly drained land. Mr. Goff said alfalfa and corn was the best and cheapest feeding that could be obtained and that in some parts of the West the leaves were now being used to make flour. Mr. Goff said that he had grown as much as five tons to the acre.

Prof. John L. Bosley spoke of the experiments that he and Mr. Thomas Tucker had been making on corn seed testing, and also addressed the meeting on the necessity of having agricultural instruction in the High Schools.

Mr. Lucien Beckner reported as delegate to the State Institute at Elizabethtown.

Mr. A. Renick on request, told of his experiences with alfalfa both in feeding and growing it.

## FLEMING FARMERS GET TOBACCO MONEY

Are Paid \$100,000 on Monday, Balance Will Be Distributed By April First.

Special to The News.

PARIS, Ky., March 15.—Fleming county farmers and tobacco growers today received one hundred thousand dollars, about one-third of the amount to be paid them from the tobacco pool. The remainder will be received and paid by April first.

## CONTINUES VERY ILL.

Mr. H. A. Rodgers who suffered an attack of heart trouble a few days ago at his home on the Mt. Sterling pike, continues quite ill.

## BANK SUIT IS SETTLED

Citizens Bank Dismiss Action Against Kentucky River Poplar Company.

The suit of the Citizens National Bank, of this city, against the Kentucky River Poplar Company, that was filed in the Circuit Court of Estill county last week through their attorneys, Byrd and Davis, of this city, was settled and dismissed last week. The suit was to recover \$3,000 on notes. The full amount was paid.

## MR. R. W. TANNER TO BE BURIED TUESDAY

Old and Highly Respected Citizen Passes Away Sunday Morning.

Mr. R. W. Tanner, who suffered a stroke of paralysis Thursday morning, died at his home on the Ecton pike Sunday morning at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Tanner was 65 years of age and had been a resident of this county practically all of his life.

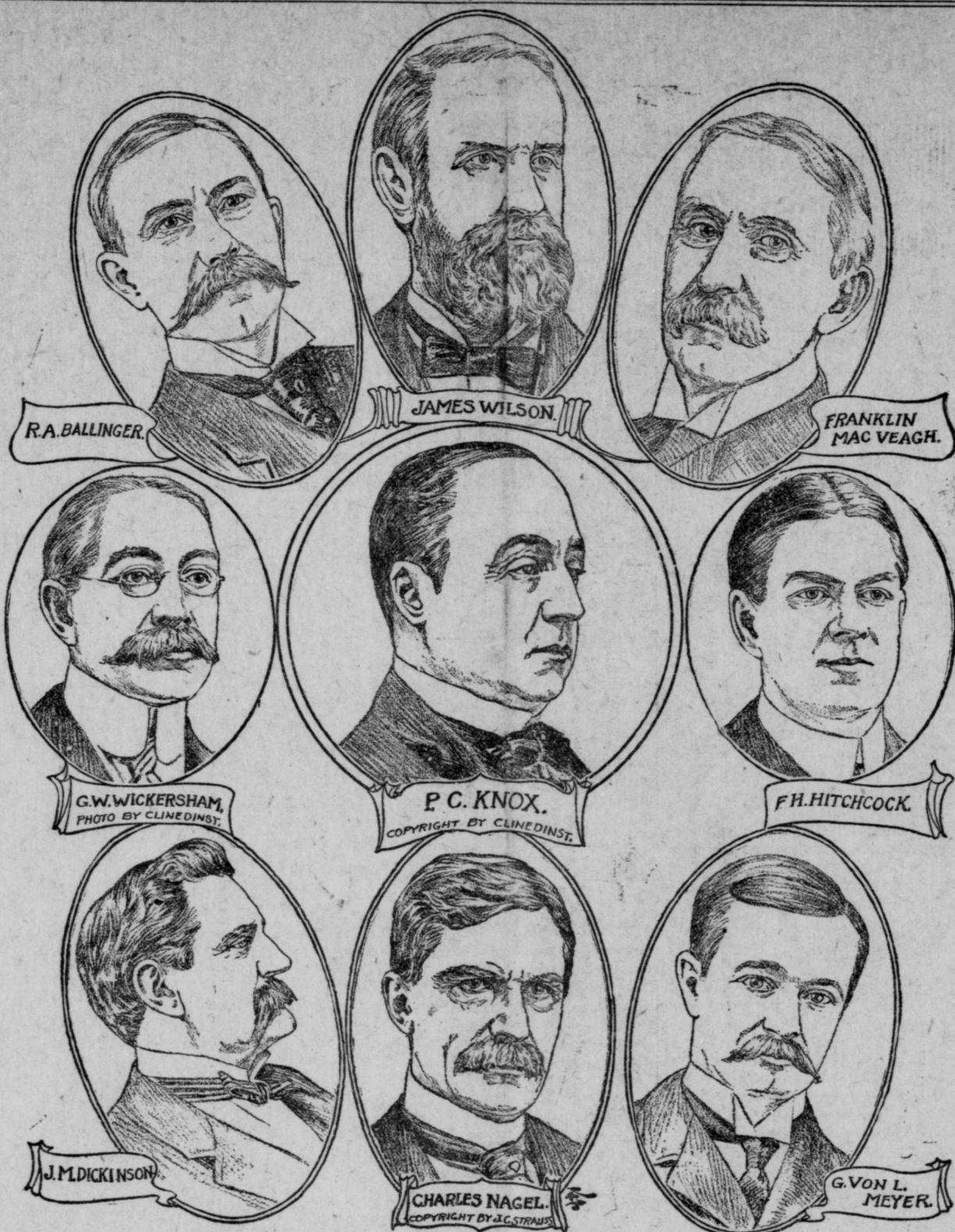
He is survived by his three sons, County School Superintendent C. A. Tanner, Dave and Brown Tanner, all of this county.

Mr. Tanner was connected with one of the oldest and largest families in this county and was held in high esteem by all who knew him.

The funeral will take place at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning from the Washington street Presbyterian church with services by Rev. J. A. Francis, of Russellville, Ky., formerly pastor of this church, assisted by Rev. C. E. Crafton, its present pastor.

Mr. R. W. Tanner was born March 16th, 1844, was married June 10th, 1869, to Sarah McGough, daughter of Rev. R. B. McGough, joined the Presbyterian church in 1867 and was transferred to the Cumberland Presbyterian church at old Sugar Ridge in 1870; was made a Deacon in 1885, died March 14, 1909.

In his death, the community has lost a good citizen, the church a splendid member and the home a gentle father. There are three sons left to mourn his loss, besides three grandchildren and a host of friends. He also left one sister.



CABINET MEMBERS SELECTED BY WILLIAM H. TAFT TO AID HIM IN DIRECTING THE AFFAIRS OF THE GOVERNMENT.

The members of the Taft cabinet, the states in which they reside and the departments they will direct are as follows: Philander C. Knox, Pennsylvania, secretary of state; Jacob M. Dickinson, Tennessee, secretary of war; G. von L. Meyer, Massachusetts, secretary of the navy; George W. Wickersham, New York, attorney general; Richard A. Ballinger, Washington, secretary of interior; Frank H. Hitchcock, Massachusetts, postmaster general; Franklin MacVeagh, Illinois, secretary of the treasury; Charles Nagel, Missouri, secretary of commerce and labor; James Wilson, Iowa, secretary of agriculture.

## HELD TO THE GRAND JURY

John Dwyer, Charged With Highway Robbery Has Hearing in Police Court.

John Dwyer, the young white man who was tried in Police Court Saturday night on a charge of highway robbery, was held over to the grand jury under a \$200 bond. This is the second charge that Dwyer will have to answer when Circuit Court convenes. He was out of jail under a \$200 bond on a charge of house-breaking, when it is alleged he committed the crime for which he is now in jail.

## WORKING ON FOUNDATION

It Is Not Known Yet Just When Clearing of Government Site Will Take Place.

The work on the foundation of the new McEldowney building is now well under way and if favorable weather continues for the next month a good showing will be made on the work. Just when the work of clearing off the government lot adjoining it will be begun, is not known just now, as Dr. Shirley does not know just how soon he will find a suitable location so that he can move. Dr. Shirley's office will be in the new McEldowney building but he has not definitely decided just where he will locate his residence.

LOT SELLS FOR \$500.

Johnas R. Bush, agent for L. H. and V. W. Bush, sold a lot on College street last week to Ed. Pace for \$500.

## CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

For Rural Carriers To Be Held in This City On April Tenth.

A civil service examination for rural carriers in the mail service will be held in this city, April 10th, as shown by the following instructions: The Postmaster, Winchester, Clark county, Kentucky:

Sir:—It is the purpose of the Commission to hold a rural carrier examination in your county on Saturday, April 10, 1909. In order that a register of eligibles may be established in your office it is necessary that not less than six persons forward on the prescribed form, proper applications, so that they will reach the Civil Service Commission (Rural Carrier Division), Washington, D. C., on or before Wednesday, April 1, 1909. The necessary blanks are inclosed herewith. Please give this matter your immediate attention. Publicly post the announcements and take such other action as may be necessary to enable every person in your community to understand the requirements relative to the filing of applications and to examinations. Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Respectfully,  
JOHN C. MACK, President.

## REPUBLICANS NAME PATTON FOR SENATOR.

CAMPTON, Ky., March 15.—A. H. Patton, of Jackson, was nominated for State Senator in the Thirty fourth district, composed of Wolfe, Breathitt, Morgan, Magoffin and Owsley counties, at the Republican district convention, held West Liberty, to succeed Senator C. J. Sewell, of this place.

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## CITY SCHOOL LECTURE COURSE

Prof. Fairhurst Talks of Economic Value of Science in Masterly Manner.

The first lecture of the series to be given under the auspices of the City Schools was delivered at the court house last Friday evening.

The lecturer—Prof. Alfred Fairhurst, presented his subject, "Economic Value of Science" in a masterly manner and because of his thorough knowledge of the subject matter and his humor, he not only instructed but also highly entertained those who were so fortunate as to hear him.

In spite of the fact that the weather was very bad, the court room was well filled with an appreciative audience. The two songs given by the members of the Junior Class, added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion.

The next lecture of the series will be given by Dr. Irene T. Myers, Dean of the Woman's Department of Transylvania University. Miss Myers has the reputation of being a talented woman and a splendid speaker. The subject of this lecture is "In Old Kentucky."

Tickets for the remaining lectures can be secured from any teacher of the Winchester City Schools.

Let the friends of progress, encourage the cause of education by attending these lectures.

## BUILDING ON WASHINGTON STREET.

Mr. Walter Karriek is building a modern cottage residence on Washington street east of Vine. Mr. Karriek came from Mt. Sterling to this city. Many former Mt. Sterling residents now live here and there are no better people.

## EXTRA MEETING OF CONGRESS TO CONSIDER TARIFF IN SESSION

House Organizes And Re-Elects Cannon Speaker Bill On Tariff Schedules Is Now Ready For The Committee.

Washington, March 15.—The coming together of the hands in the big clock in the hall of representatives at noon today and the fall of the speaker's gavel from the hand of Clerk McDowell marked the opening of the representatives' part of the extra session of the Sixty-first congress, called by proclamation of President Taft.

Today's proceedings in the house consisted mainly of organization. The senate is a continuous body and never dies, but when the house adjourned before the inauguration it passed out of existence. It was necessary, therefore, to attend today to such details as the swearing in of the members, the election of a speaker and other officials, the assignments of members to committees and the drawing for seats.

Although the president's proclamation, issued on March 6, did not state the reason for the extra session, his message, prepared for transmission to the two houses at the beginning of the session, calls upon them to deliberate over the advisability of preparing and passing a new tariff law for the United States. In many previous utterances—notably in his inaugural address—President Taft has made known his conviction that the Republican members controlling the

Gary) chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel corporation, declared that the independent manufacturers needed high duties to protect them against monopoly of the trade. Among the other trades represented at the hearing were the lumber, wool, paper, sugar and fruit industries. In practically every case arguments for and against the continuance of high protective duties were advanced, placing on the members of the committee the burden of decision. The result of their deliberations has been guarded with great care. Despite forecasts of the contents of the bill alleged to be authoritative, few besides its authors know which schedules are to remain unchanged, which are to be advanced and which are to be lowered.

## Senate Also In Session.

The senate also convened today, but for some time its sessions will not be as important as those of the house. According to the constitution, the tariff bill which is the end and aim of the extra session, must originate in the house and be passed by that body before it goes to the senate for approval. After it reaches the senate what that august body does to it in committee and in open session becomes of importance and interest.

The senate has been in continuous session since March 4. After the formal reading today of the president's proclamation calling the two houses together a committee was appointed by Vice President Sherman to wait on the president and inform him that the senate was ready to receive any communication he might be pleased to send. A recess was declared until the president's message should come.

## BEGINS LONG TRAMP TODAY

Veteran Weston Starts From New York For San Francisco.

New York, March 15.—From New York to San Francisco on foot is the long tramp planned by Edward Payson Weston, the world's most famous walker, who began his journey today at the New York postoffice.

Today is Mr. Weston's seventieth birthday. His age is probably the most astonishing feature of his venture, since the walk from New York to the Pacific coast in the time in which Mr. Weston promises to do it is one to tax severely the powers of a man half his age. He expects to cover the route, more than 4,000 miles long, in 100 days, excluding Sundays. It is a matter of principle with Mr. Weston never to walk on Sunday. He devotes the day to rest and to delivering temperance lectures. The expenses of his trip are paid from the proceeds of the lectures.

Mr. Weston first attracted the world's attention as a pedestrian in 1867 when he walked from Portland, Me., to Chicago in 26 days. In 1907 Mr. Weston repeated that walk, but bettered his record by 25 hours.

On his present trip Mr. Weston will be accompanied by journalists from various cities and an attendant and his manager.

"This is probably the first and only attempt ever made to cross America under surveillance during the entire trip," said Mr. Weston in talking of his venture, "and I intend to create a record for younger men to aim at in future years."

"I believe that I shall make this trip in even better time than the schedule. In preparation for the event I have been walking 25 to 30 miles daily for the past several months."

## COLLEGES BEGIN FIRING

Intercollegiate Match For Rifle Championship Starts Today.

New York, March 15.—Reports reaching here from various sections of the United States indicate that firing began today, according to schedule, in the intercollegiate rifle match for the 1909 gallery championship.

The event, which is held under the auspices of the National Rifle Association of America, is open to any university or college in the United States conferring degrees. It will be shot during the period between March 15 and 27. The prize is the handsome trophy presented by the Forest, Fish and Game Society of America and which was won for the first time last year by Columbia university of this city.

The trophy will become the property of the college or university winning it three times, not necessarily in succession. Fifteen institutions which have rifle clubs affiliated with the National Rifle Association have expressed their intention of taking part in the contest.

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MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1909.

## KENTUCKY WESLEYAN.

Winchester is peculiarly interested  
in Kentucky Wesleyan College. This  
city contributed liberally to its es-  
tablishment here and responded nobly  
when the fire came. The better part  
of \$100,000 has been paid by Clark  
county citizens for its upbuilding.  
Many families send children to its  
halls. When anything happens there-  
fore which seems in any degree to  
injure its efficiency and its future,  
we believe we have a right to protest.

President Taylor has made for  
himself a place here and has raised  
the standard of the college immeasur-  
ably. During the last three years,  
Kentucky Wesleyan College has taken  
a well defined position among the  
institutions of learning in this State.  
Before that time, it was little better  
than a high school. Now it ranks  
with the best in its entrance re-  
quirements and in the curriculum pre-  
sented to its students.

Clark Hall had only fifteen or  
eighteen students three years ago;  
now its capacity is overtaxed and  
more students are asking for a place  
within its walls. When all is said  
and done, the test of success in any  
institution of learning is the num-  
ber it can attract to its halls. True,  
this is not the only test or even the  
most important. But entrance ex-  
aminations being equal, the curricu-  
lum the same, the college that secures  
the larger attendance is found to  
rank above the smaller.

The last three years have been  
successful ones in the history of the  
institution. There is a fine esprit de  
corps among its students. All are  
proud to be entered on its books. The  
State at large is beginning to take  
notice that there is such a college  
at Winchester. And as the years roll  
on, the work that is being done now,  
will tell more and more toward its  
prosperity and growth.

It seems a shame to us that the  
pitiable sum of \$100 should stand be-  
tween the keeping or the loss of the  
president who has done these things.  
When we attended college, the en-  
rollment was about 250 and the pay  
of the president of our alma mater  
was \$4,000 a year. In a little over  
twenty years the students within  
those walls have swelled to over 4,  
000 and the head of the university is  
paid \$10,000 a year, given a house  
and its keep. Who is the cheaper  
man?

President Taylor has lived among  
us three years. In a city of 10,000  
people a man soon finds his level.  
The testimonials we presented in our  
news story Saturday, shows the re-  
gard in which he is held by his neigh-  
bors. They attest the worth of the  
man.

It is not too late to remedy this

mistake, for mistake we must re-  
gard it. \$2,500 a year is little enough  
to pay a man capable of filling the  
president's chair. A cheaper man  
can, of course, be secured. Many  
would consider \$1500 or even \$1200  
good pay. But how about the future  
of the college.

It takes money to buy brains and  
when to brains are added executive  
ability and learning, the union is  
invaluable. President Taylor has all  
three. No one who has met him, who  
has heard him speak, who has talked  
with the members of the faculty, as-  
sociated with him in his work, can  
doubt that he is a big man intellectu-  
ally. He has shown his executive  
ability in what he has done for the  
college in the last three years.

We sincerely trust that some way  
out of the tangle will be found. The  
members of the Board of Education  
have the welfare of the college close  
to their hearts. They are proud  
of their association with it and want  
to see it have a prosperous and glori-  
ous future. May they sink all indi-  
vidual pride of opinion and meet with  
President Taylor in consultation and  
see if this cloud on Kentucky Wes-  
leyan cannot be raised.

## UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Anderson, Miss Nancy M.  
Allen, Mrs. Bell.  
Adams, Miss Susie.  
Curtis, P. S.  
Combs, Richard.  
Gibson, Miss L. B.  
Jackson, Mrs. Estella.  
Jones, Talton.  
Kiel, Susie.  
McKee, Miles.  
Martin, C. M.  
Pennell, Mrs. Martha.  
Parker, Mrs. Josie.  
Rush, L. V.  
Rupard, B. A.  
Redden, Mrs. Mary.  
Thomas, Miss Susie.  
Thomas, J. S.

R. R. PERRY, Postmaster.

## IT SAVED HIS LEG.

"All thought I'd lose my leg,"  
writes J. A. Swenson, Watertown,  
Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15  
doctors could not cure, had at last  
laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica  
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at Phillips Drug Store.

## LADIES TO PLAY FINAL GAMES

Of Basket Ball Tournament Which  
Has Excited Such In-  
terest.

The final game of the young ladies'  
basket ball tournament will be played  
at the college gymnasium tonight at  
7:30. The feature game will be the  
contest between the Red and Yellow  
teams to settle the question at to  
which five shall occupy third place.  
These two teams after having played  
out their schedule of twenty-five  
games, each have won eleven apiece  
and lost fourteen and neither being  
content with a tie, the question will  
be settled tonight.

The winning team in the league—  
Miss Mildred Johnson's Crescents,  
will play an exhibition game with the  
Greens who ran them a close race  
for first place, and this contest prom-  
ises to be as close as the other.

The tournament just finished has  
been a splendid one from every  
standpoint, the season having been  
finished out with unabated enthu-  
siasm. The results in a physical way,  
have been more than merely notice-  
able and the clean eyes, firm poise  
and steady nerves of the young la-  
dies, who have taken part in the work  
are a justification of their efforts  
and interest.

The game tonight will probably be  
the last of the season to which the  
public will be admitted. The proceeds  
will be devoted to the payment of  
the expenses of Dr. Anderson, whose  
lecture last Friday was so highly en-  
joyed.

## ANOTRE CITIZEN.

Born to Rev. G. W. Shepard and  
wife Sunday morning, an eight-pound  
boy.

## For Happiness.

The real secret of happiness is to  
be in love with your job; to do the  
work that you like to do; that inter-  
ests you; that you believe in.—Pres-  
ident Elliot.

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## POSTPONE DAY OF RECKONING

Cubans Make Stagger at Self-  
Government.

## INTERVENTION A BUGBEAR

First Month of Gomez Administration  
Passes Without Serious Break, but  
Congress Manifests Desire to Fool  
Away Time With Measures of Irri-  
fling Import — Wants to Restore  
Cock and Bull Fights and Establish  
Government Lottery.

Havana, March 15.—While the first  
month in the life of the restored Cu-  
ban republic has not been one of  
achievement, it has at least not been  
marked by any untoward incident cal-  
culated to confirm the oft-repeated  
prediction that the experiment of Cu-  
ban self-government was destined to  
speedy failure. On the other hand, the  
government of General Gomez has  
still to present assurances of its abil-  
ity to direct wisely and firmly the  
destinies of the island.

The one fact which seems to be es-  
tablished is that Cubans of all parties  
are for the time being determined to  
forget their political differences and  
pull together so as to avoid as long  
as possible what all dread—another  
American intervention.

At the close of the most prominent  
American officials expressed the fear  
that the Gomez administration would  
collapse within three months, but he  
added that if it survived that time it  
probably would endure indefinitely.  
For this fear there now appears no  
warrant, for apart from the mutter-  
ings of displaced officeholders, there  
is no evidence of dissatisfaction with  
the new administration.

Only once has there been even the  
faintest rumor of an uprising. This  
was three weeks ago, when three dis-  
charged officials in Santiago de Cuba  
were reported to have taken to the  
woods. The rumor was untrue.

Thus far the new congress has done  
little, and this is one of the most dis-  
couraging features of the situation,  
suggesting, as it does, a repetition of  
that inability to agree in legislative  
matters which produced the deadlock  
in the last Cuban congress, compelled  
President Palma to legislate by de-  
cree in violation of the constitution,  
and finally precipitated the uprisings  
in August, 1906, which were followed  
by the intervention of the United  
States and the appointment of Mr.  
Taft as provisional governor.

Should General Gomez find himself  
forced into the unhappy position of  
his predecessor, it is most probable  
that he will not shrink from dealing  
with the malcontents with all the se-  
verity the occasion demands and nip  
any insurrectionary movement in the  
bud.

A discouraging feature of the con-  
gressional session has been the multi-  
plicity of trivial measures introduced.  
Among these were bills to rescind the  
military orders of the first interven-  
tion against cockfights and bullfights;  
to establish a national lottery; to  
found orders of military merit, the  
members of which may wear a decora-  
tion in recognition of "eminent ser-  
vices in war;" and to change the  
name of the revenue cutter service to  
that of the Cuban navy. The general  
amnesty bill, which was signed by  
General Gomez a few days ago, gave  
liberty to hundreds of convicts  
throughout the republic, all but the  
perpetrators of the most atrocious  
crimes being included in its pro-  
visions.

Another bill which was the subject  
of much discussion and misunder-  
standing was that introduced by Con-  
gressman Arteaga, to restrain the fur-  
ther acquisition of real estate by for-  
eigners. It was assumed that the  
purpose of the bill was to prohibit the  
ownership by aliens not only of real  
estate, but of various other kinds of  
property, and to compel the foreign  
owners of more than four-fifths of the  
sugar plantations of the island to  
accept Cuban citizenship or relinquish  
their estates, but the bill served  
merely to place on record the patri-  
otic aspirations of a few extremists,  
for it was rejected.

## AEROPLANE CHRISTENED

New York Inventor Follows Ceremo-  
nies Familiar at Ship Launching.  
New York, March 15.—What is said  
to have been the first christening of  
an aeroplane in the history of the  
world took place at Morris Park under  
the auspices of the Aeronautical so-  
ciety.

Practically all the ceremonies  
which attend the launching of a ship  
were performed, including the break-  
ing of a bottle of champagne on one  
of the steel bars of the machine. The  
sponsor named the new craft, a bi-  
plane constructed by William R. Kim-  
ball, "New York No. 1."

Dry Worker's Home Dynamited.  
Martinsville, Ind., March 15.—The  
home of Charles G. Renner, attorney  
for the local Anti-Saloon league, was  
partly wrecked by dynamite. Blood-  
hounds were put on the trail of the  
perpetrators, but were unable to run  
them to earth.

## ENTRIES CLOSE TONIGHT

Kentucky Futurity Not Affected by  
the Boycott.  
Lexington, Ky., March 15.—Entries  
to the Kentucky futurity of \$21,000  
for trotting foals of 1909, which has  
been boycotted by members of the  
American Association of Horse Breed-  
ers because the Kentucky Trotting  
Horse Breeders' association ignored  
their demand that the conditions of  
the race be changed from 3 in 5 to  
2 in 3 heats, will close tonight at mid-  
night. Already 437 mares have been  
nominated, and Secretary Wilson  
says he is satisfied the total entry  
will exceed 1,000. Last year the total  
entry was 1,020.

Masons Recover From Poisoning.  
Vincennes, Ind., March 15.—Visit-  
ing Masons, almost 100 of whom were  
stricken with ptomaine poisoning at  
the state Masonic centennial dinner  
here, have recovered, and the last of  
the victims departed for his home.

## FRANCE HAS SMALL REVOLT ON HANDS

Paris Threatened With General  
Telegraphers' Strike.

Paris, March 15.—Paris is now  
threatened with a general strike of  
the telegraph and telephone operators  
employed in the bureaux of the post-  
office. As a result of the energetic  
measures of the authorities in sup-  
pressing the strike of telegraph op-  
erators, which isolated Paris for four  
hours, 40 of the ringleaders, includ-  
ing 10 railway mail clerks, who re-  
fused to board their trains, have been  
suspended pending their dismissal  
from the service. Eight of those who  
took part in the riot in the central  
telegraphic bureau of the postoffice  
are under arrest. The president of  
the general association of postal tel-  
egraph employees, M. Subra, is among  
those under suspension.

The regular labor leaders, like Sec-  
retary Patand of the electricians'  
union, are doing their utmost to bring  
about a strike. They are offering to  
co-operate with the postal employes  
in the hope of accomplishing the ob-  
ject for which they have long labored,  
that is, to induce the state servants  
to make common cause with the labor  
organizations.

The government considers the en-  
tire movement revolutionary. M. Sim-  
yan, undersecretary of posts and tele-  
graphs, has issued orders to the sub-  
chiefs to suspend every employe guilty  
of insubordination, and the mili-  
tary operators are in readiness at  
Versailles to take the place of the  
strikers.

## CONTINUES TO RISE

Alabama River and Tributaries Inun-  
date Much Territory.

Montgomery, Ala., March 15.—The  
Alabama river is still rising, but no  
further damage was done in Mont-  
gomery. The stage at Montgomery is  
51 feet, and rising at the rate of  
three-tenths of an inch an hour.

Stages of 31.5 feet in the Coosa at  
Rome and 29 feet at Gadsden are re-  
ported by the government bureau.  
Fifty-seven feet at Selma is predicted  
for today. The lowlands of middle  
Alabama are submerged for many  
miles, and much live stock is believed  
to have been drowned.

The Tallapoosa river, which empties  
into the Alabama nine miles  
north of Montgomery, is a raging fur-  
rent. The back waters have sub-  
merged the negro section and are en-  
croaching on the manufacturing dis-  
trict here.

## GERMAN SHIP SINKS

Twenty of Crew Drowned in Collision  
With Norwegian Steamer.

Rotterdam, March 15.—The Norwe-  
gian steamer Mascot, for Sunderland,  
collided with the German ship Mar-  
gretha, Iquique for Hamburg, about  
20 miles west of the Maas lightship.  
The Margretha sank almost immedi-  
ately, 20 of her crew being drowned.  
The six remaining members of the  
crew were saved. The Mascot return-  
ed here with a big hole in her bow.

## THE MEAT OF IT.

At Lemars, Ala., William Giffon, a  
farmer, reputed to be worth \$100,000,  
was sentenced to five years in the  
penitentiary for stealing five hogs.  
Jack Sullivan, a former Canadian  
pugilist, knocked out three highway-  
men at Norristown, Pa., and then had  
them arrested.

Senator Bacon of Georgia and Rep-  
resentative Gaines of Tennessee are  
threatened with pneumonia as the re-  
sult of exposure on inauguration day.  
The inauguration of Prof. Lowell as  
president of Harvard university will  
take place early in October.

Arthur Subers of Chicago was run  
over by three automobiles in rapid  
succession and escaped without serious  
injury.

Mme. Steinhell, accused of murder-  
ing her husband and stepmother, at  
Paris, has been held to the assize  
court for trial for her life.

Canton, O., has a gold craze, caused  
by discoveries of the yellow metal on  
the farm of Jacob Sonnenlatter, near  
that city.

Jersey scrub pine has been success-  
fully used as a substitute for spruce  
in the manufacture of news paper.

from a protracted illness of typhoid  
fever.

Mr. Clayton Howell, of Mt. Ster-  
ling, was in town, on Saturday.  
Mr. C. W. Burt, of Lexington,  
was in town Sunday, the guest of  
friends.

Miss Lide Richardson is the guest  
of her mother, Mrs. Holt Richardson,  
of Lexington.

Mrs. Robert Guinn is seriously ill  
at the home of her father, Mr. Ben  
Ogden.

Mr. Hazel Bridwell, of Russell-  
ville, is visiting his son, Mr. C. V.  
Bridwell.

Miller Searce, of Pewee Valley,  
is visiting Mr. G. W. West.

Miss Sadie Belle Flynn is at home  
for a few days from Margaret Hall,  
Versailles.

"Uncle" Jack Reid is visiting rel-  
atives in Paris and Bourbon county.  
IS GETTING PROSPEROUS.

Mr. G. A. Brooks, secretary of the  
Burley Tobacco Society has purchas-  
ed a very handsome Buick motor car  
of the very latest type and make.

## PROTRACTED MEETING.

Rev. G. W. Shepard will begin a  
protracted meeting at the Kidville  
Baptist church next Sunday morning.

Limit Never Reached.  
Fiske: The most essential feature of  
a man is his improvableness.

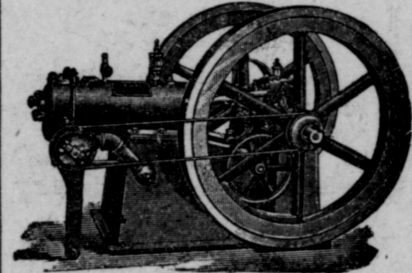
## COLORED COLUMN.

One of the most delightful enter-  
tainments of the season was given by  
Mesdames Annie V. Rannels and Er-  
nest O. Birch at their home on Wash-  
ington street Saturday, March 6.

The hostesses, Mesdames Rannels  
and Birch were assisted by Mesdames  
Charlie Haggard, Mollie Frye and  
Miss Bessie Mae Hood.

They entertained from 2 to 12 p.  
m. and many games including whist  
and forty-two were played after  
which a sumptuous repast of five  
courses was served. Those who en-  
joyed the hospitalities were Mesdames  
Joe Jackson, John Carter, Orin  
Bates, Kate Woodford, Mollie Frye,  
Will Copper, Jack Parrish, Amanda  
Haggard, Sue Bell, Bettie A. Per-  
kins, Bettie Taylor, Charley Craig,  
Charley Curry, T. Timberlake, Steve  
Penn, Lucy Dudley, Emma Guess,  
Cassie Davis, Perry Hood, Eliza  
Skinner, Jerry Haggard, Bob Hag-  
gard, Joe Mance, Charley Fountain,  
George Benton, Will Quisenberry,  
Burrell Turner, Horace Coleraine, J.  
W. Deck, Will January, Daniels, of  
Ashland, Ky.; Henry Jackson, Sam  
Reeves, Will Trivers, Tom Cowan,  
Dan Gilton, Jim Boone, Will Taylor,  
D. Potter, Dan Gratts, J. H. Garvin,  
J. H. Holmes, George Jones, George  
Turner and Misses Eleanor Trivers,  
Mary Ray, Bessie Hood, Fannie  
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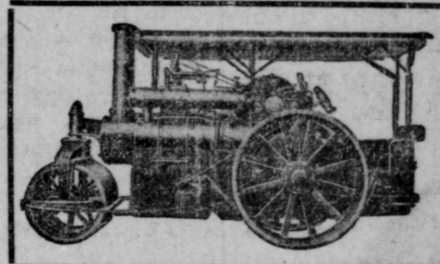
We stand to lose several dollars  
on each coat but we prefer to do that  
than to carry them another season  
when they will be sold at a sacrifice.  
We prefer to have the money Now  
to buy new goods that will yield a  
profit than to carry the stock until  
next winter. It is a simple business  
proposition and its "up to you" if you  
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enroll new names every week. We want yours. You  
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J. L. BROWN, President.

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**SOCIETY**

Miss Allan Crutcher will be hostess for the Euchre Club, on Thursday afternoon.

Literary and Social Club.  
Miss Margaret McKinley was the charming hostess for the Literary and Social Club, on Saturday afternoon. The house was decorated in March lilies and ferns. Miss McKinley received her guests in her usual sweet and attractive way.

There was a very interesting study of Sir Walter Scott. Mrs. William P. French read a very interesting paper of "The Life of Scott." Miss Emma Lee Taylor had a synopsis of "The Lady of the Lake," which was highly enjoyed by her audience; Miss Sara Goodloe Benton read an interesting paper on "Lay of the Last Minstrel." At the conclusion of this part of the program, Miss Winnie Garrett sang in a sweet and plaintive way "The Rose in the Garden," and Miss Harkins, the charming guest of Miss Anne Dudley, rendered several very beautiful selections. She has a fine voice, which shows much cultivation. For the guessing contest, well known advertising sentences were cut from papers, and those present were to guess what article was advertised. The successful contestant was presented with a book of beautiful poems. A most delicious and refreshing lunch was served.

Miss McKinley's guests for the afternoon were: Mrs. William P. French, Misses Anna Mae Hisle, Margaret Sphar, Florrie Smith, Sara Goodloe Benton, Richie Lane, Ila and Lucy Stewart Anne Dudley, Winnie Garrett, Alice and Owen Porter, Clay Croxton, Emma Lee Taylor and Miss Harkins, of Prestonburg.

This was the last meeting of this Club for the season.

**Little Colonel Readers.**

The Little Colonel Readers had a most delightful meeting with Miss Myrtle Spencer, on Saturday afternoon. The program was changed from the usual one. Each member had some duty to perform, such as to prepare a paper and read it, give a recitation, sing a song or render an instrumental selection. At the conclusion of this charming pro-

gram, delicious refreshments were served.

Those present were: Misses Frances Pendleton, Julia Gaitskill, Emma Thomson, Louise Haggard, Helen Ford, Ada Lee Boone and Ida Walden.

Miss Ella Pendleton entertains a few friends this evening in honor of Miss Ritchie, of Cincinnati, the guest of Miss Mable Shipp.

**Cooking Club.**

Miss Virginia Baldwin was the charming little hostess for the Cooking Club, on Saturday afternoon, at her home on South Maple street.

Games were indulged in for several hours; then the little ladies repaired to the dining room and spread the lunch which they had prepared with their own hands, and enjoyed it in picnic fashion.

Those present were: Misses Marie and Gertrude Bloomfield, Mary Frances Ogden, Dorothy Porter, Elizabeth Stewart, Ora Gaines Allen, Kathleen Earp, Mayme Scrivener, Catherine Hughes, Rosalind Stevenson, Fannie Combs Scott and Elizabeth Beckner.

**Heroic Actress.**

Miss Julia Marlowe never acted a heroic part with more courage and spirit than she did in saving the life of her secretary, Miss Elizabeth McCracken, in their apartments in the Hotel Plaza, last week.

Miss Marlowe was dozing in her boudoir, while Miss McCracken was attending to correspondence at an escritoire in the drawing room, when she accidentally upset an alcohol lamp. The cries of the secretary brought Miss Marlowe to the room. The famous actress sprang to her boudoir, snatched up bed clothing and sought to stifle the flames. She threw off her kimono, which has become ignited, and supporting Miss McCracken, retreated from the flame-swept room. A physician was called to attend Miss McCracken's injuries, which were found to be severe.

Miss Marlowe bore herself with the greatest fortitude, and kept her engagement at Da's Theatre, where she is the star in Mary Johnston's poetic drama, "The Goddess of Reason."

## Taylor's

### April the Fifteenth.

You are Cordially Invited to Attend the

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The Girls' Basket Ball teams will have a tournament at the College gymnasium to-night at 7:30 o'clock. Admission 15 cents. All are invited to attend.

Mrs. E. C. Browning, of Danville, was the guest of the Misses Brown in the past week.

Mr. Will Bell and Miss Etta Bell, of Sharpsburg, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Smith, on Lexington avenue.

Mrs. Will Gordon, of Steele, N. Dakota, is expected soon to be the guest of her mother, Mrs. James Ballard, for the summer.

Rev. J. A. Francis, of Russellville, Ky., will arrive to-night to conduct the funeral services of Mr. R. M. Tanner, Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Byrd Hodgkin has been ill for the past few days.

Mr. J. C. Creed is out after an illness of a few days.

Miss Sallie Lee Sudduth has returned home from Tennessee, where she was the guest of her uncle.

Mrs. T. E. Warrock is visiting her sister, Mrs. Authur Lyman, in Lexington.

Mrs. Wallace Hukle, of North Park, is quite ill of inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. Mills Quisenberry, of Renick, is quite ill of acute bronchitis.

Mr. Sam Jett and Master Hansford Jett left Saturday for Washington, D. C.

Mrs. W. R. Thomas is in Lexington, to-day.

Misses Pike and Kate Boone, of Lexington, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. John Weather spent Sunday in Lexington.

Mr. Cecil Parks is improving, after having been confined to his bed for some time.

Miss Lilla Phelps spent Sunday in Lexington.

Miss Laura Granducci spent Sunday in Versailles.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Martin and children are spending a few days in Lexington, the guest of friends.

Miss Rebecca Gaitskill, of Lexington, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Florrie Smith.

Mrs. Charles Stewart returned Saturday from a visit to Mrs. Roger Barnes, of Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. W. W. George returned Saturday from a visit to friends in Mt. Sterling.

Mr. John Stevenson returned Saturday from Mt. Sterling.

Mr. Frank Perry, of Mt. Sterling, was a guest of friends here, Saturday.

Mr. Clark Patterson, of Mt. Sterling, was the guest of friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Davis and Dr. David H. McKinley were in Lexington, Friday morning.

Mrs. Steve Davis was in Georgetown on Friday to see Miss Besse Bradford, who is just recovering.

Miss Elsa Brown, of Boston, will arrive Tuesday to be the guest of Mrs. Edward Clark.

**CLIFTON B. ROSS,**

Having finished the extensive improvements in our store for the spring trade we cordially invite you to see our

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Silk Dresses and Lingerie Dresses  
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**Jimmy's Grievance.**

After Jimmy had attended school a few days he begged to stay at home. "Because," said he, "teacher says we mustn't talk and I'm so tired of whispering!"

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**Husband Owns Wife's Dresses.**  
The question of who owns the dresses of a wife came up in the Brompton county court of Maryland recently and the judge decided that the husband is the owner. The man held that he had given the wife the money to buy the dresses in dispute, and, although they were not paid for, it was decided that they belonged to him.

**Thoughtful Child.**  
They are considerate youngsters in England, as most people know. A little boy whose grandmother had just died wrote the following letter, which he duly posted: "Dear Angels: We have sent you grandma. Please give her a harp to play, as she is short-winded and can't blow a trumpet."—London Tit-Bits.

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# DIRECTORY.

## Kentucky.

According to the last census Kentucky has a population of 2,147,174. The area is 40,400 square miles; 400 of which is water. The streams within the State, as a rule head in the Southeast and flow in a Northwesterly direction; this fact retarded the construction of railroads and the development of our resources for many years.

The early railroads were built from the East and went over the more level territories North of the Ohio River and South of the Cumberland Mountains. In those days there was only a limited demand for coal and lumber. Now that the demand has increased. It would seem that kind providence has held in reserve our almost inexhaustible utilities until a time when they are most needed by the country. Our supply of timber is limited, but there is enough to last for many years to come.

We have a coal area of over fifteen thousand square miles. Other minerals await development.

Natural gas and oil, in paying quantities are being developed in many localities.

There are no more bad people in Kentucky than in other States in proportion to population. Good people regardless of politics or religion, are always welcome.

## Clark County.

Land acres, 158,176.  
Value of real and personal property including franchises, \$12,004,376.

Tax rate for all county purposes, 50 cents, on the hundred dollars.

The foothills of the mountains are on the Eastern border of the county, the Kentucky River on the South, forms the county line for a distance of twenty-five miles. Ford on the river, South of Winchester, has extensive lumber mills.

Three railroads go entirely across the county—Chesapeake & Ohio, Louisville & Nashville and Lexington & Eastern.

Blue Grass is a natural product. Uncultivated land will set itself in blue grass. Crops of timothy and clover can be raised with profit. Corn, wheat, rye and oats are the grain crops. Tobacco is raised in large quantities.

All fruits that are adapted to the climate can be raised with profit. The census of 1900 gave the population at 16,694.

## Circuit Court.

First Monday in April, second Monday September, first Monday in December, J. M. Benton, Judge; B. A. Crutcher, Attorney.

## County Court.

Fourth Monday in each month. Quarterly Court. Third Tuesday in each month.

## County Officers.

J. H. Evans, Judge.  
S. A. Jeffries, Attorney.  
Howard Hampton, Sheriff.  
Lee Evans, Deputy.  
John Bedford, Deputy.  
J. A. Boone, County Clerk.  
Sam Powell, Deputy Clerk.  
W. T. Fox, Circuit Clerk.  
Roger Quisenberry, Assessor.  
C. A. Tanner, School Superintendent.

W. R. Sphar, Treasurer.  
George Hart, Jailor.

## Justices of the Peace.

First district, J. C. Richards.  
Second district, J. Scott Renick.  
Third district, Eli Dooley.  
Fourth district, J. E. Ramsey.  
Fifth district, Robert True.  
Sixth district, F. F. Goodpaster.  
Seventh district, E. E. Willis.

## Winchester.

County seat, area, a circle one and a half miles in diameter. Population census 1900, 5,964. The city has over-lapped the corporate limits and now has a population of near ten thousand. It is located on the dividing ridge between the Kentucky and Licking Rivers, has water works, electric street cars and lights. Unlimited natural gas. Splendid Graded Schools and numerous churches.

The Kentucky Wesleyan College is located at Winchester. The fire department is one of the best in the State.

The assessed valuation of all property, including franchises, \$4,692,499. The tax rate on the hundred dollars is sixty cents for city and fifty cents for schools.

The C. & O., L. & N., and L. & E. railroads center at Winchester the geographical location and shipping facilities make the city a desirable location for factories. New concerns are given five years exemption from taxation. The Commercial Club will take pleasure in giving information.

## City Officers.

J. A. Hughes, Mayor.  
S. B. Tracy, Clerk.  
F. H. Haggard, Attorney.  
F. P. Pendleton, Judge.  
Riland D. Ramsey, Collector.

J. S. Reese, Assessor.  
I. Brinegar, Coroner.  
N. H. Witherspoon, Treasurer.  
Police.

Chief—Mal Tarpy.  
Deputies—Carral Azbill, Albert Tanner, John Ballard.

## Board of Council.

First ward—Shirley Hadden, W. P. Hackett.  
Second ward—A. R. Martin, T. L. Todd.  
Third ward—Doc Pigg, J. Q. Boone.  
Fourth ward—J. D. Jones.  
Fifth ward—G. D. McCullum, Sil Dinelli.

## Board of Education.

G. W. Strother, President.  
C. H. Reese, Secretary.  
H. W. Scrivener, Treasurer.  
Harry Eton, J. B. Cornett.  
W. A. Adams, J. K. Allan.  
James Hisle, Zena Bruce,  
N. K. Foster.

## Fire Department.

A. R. Baldwin, Chief.  
Jno. W. Harding, Secretary.

## COUNTY COURT DAYS.

Below is a list of the days County Courts are held each month in counties tributary to Winchester:

Anderson, Lawrenceburg, 3rd Monday.  
Bath, Owingsville, 2nd Monday.  
Bourbon, Paris, 1st Monday.  
Boyle, Danville, 3rd Monday.  
Breathitt, Jackson, 4th Monday.  
CLARK, WINCHESTER, 4th Monday.

Estill, Irvine, 3rd Monday.  
Fayette, Lexington, 2nd Monday.  
Fleming, Flemingsburg, 4th Monday.

Franklin, Frankfort, 1st Monday.  
Garrard, Lancaster, 4th Monday.  
Grant, Williamstown, 2nd Monday.

Harrison, Cynthia, 4th Monday.  
Jessamine, Nicholasville, 3rd Monday.  
Lee, Beattyville, 4th Monday.

Lincoln, Stanford, 2nd Monday.  
Madison, Richmond, 1st Monday.  
Mason, Maysville, 2nd Monday.

Mercer, Harrodsburg, 1st Monday.  
Montgomery, Mt. Sterling, 3rd Monday.

Nicholas, Carlisle, 2nd Monday.  
Owen, Owen, 4th Monday.

Pendleton, Falmouth, 1st Monday.  
Powell, Stanton, 1st Monday.  
Scott, Georgetown, 3rd Monday.

Shelby, Shelbyville, 2nd Monday.  
Woodford, Versailles, 4th Monday.

Winchester, Winchester, 4th Monday.

## NEAR DEATH IN BIG POND.

It was a thrilling experience to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. "For years a severe lung trouble gave me intense suffering," she writes "and several times nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Dr. King's New Discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years." Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond, Pa. It works wonders in Coughs and Colds, Sore Throats, Whooping Cough and all Bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Phillips Drug Company.

## Perfectly Clear.

"It's dish-a-way, sah," explained old Brother Swank to a befuddled friend. "Orthodoxy am de doxy dat I makes mubbe'—dat is de ortho of, yo' understand. Uh—well, and dis yuh heterodoxy am de udder man's doxy dat he's allus uh-heterotin' me wid. Do dat make it clear to yo' apprehension, Brudder Tarr?"—Pack.

## KILLS WOULD-BE-SLAYER.

A merciless murderer is Appendixitis with many victims. But Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendixitis, curing Constipation, Bilioussness, Chills, Malaria, Headache and Indigestion. 25c. at Phillips Drug Store.

## To Mark Poison Bottle.

When you purchase a bottle of poison run a brass headed tack into the top of the cork. It serves as a marker, and children will be more cautious of the marked bottles. If the label comes off or is discolored the marker remains as a skull and crossbones warning.

## THE LURID GLOW OF DOOM.

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H. M. Adams, of Henrietta, Pa. His awful plight from eczema had, for five years, defied all remedies and baffled the best doctors, who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. "But," writes his mother, "seven bottles of Electric Bitters completely cured him." For Eruptions, Eczema Salt Rheum, Sores and all Blood Disorders and Rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c. Guaranteed by Phillips Drug Company.

## TRY A NEWS' WANT

## ADVERTISEMENT.

# GOVERNOR IS NEAR TO DEATH

Chief Executive and Party Have Narrow Escape in Runaway in Frankfort on Sunday.

FRANKFORT, Ky., March 15.—Mrs. Augustus E. Willson, wife of Governor Willson, sustained a broken left wrist and had two teeth knocked out in a serious run-away accident on Shelby street, South Frankfort, Sunday afternoon. Governor Willson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Lyman, of New York, who are guests at the mansion, were also thrown out of the surrey which the Governor was driving. Governor Willson was badly shaken up, but not seriously hurt; Mr. Lyman had his face badly bruised and skinned, and Mrs. Lyman escaped without apparent injury.

That all four were not instantly killed is regarded as remarkable by all who saw the runaway, for the heavy vehicle turned turtle upon the four occupants, pinning them down and not until passers-by ran to their relief could they extricate themselves from the wreckage. The horses, broken loose from the vehicle, wildly dashed on up Shelby street.

## Mrs. Willson Unconscious.

Mrs. Willson was the only one of the four who was rendered unconscious, and it was almost half an hour before she came to herself, and the anxiety of all was eased when a careful examination by the physicians gave assurance that her injuries are not of a dangerous character.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman arrived Saturday at the mansion for a short visit to Governor and Mrs. Willson. Mrs. Lyman was formerly Miss Rives, of Henderson, and had been a girl friend of Mrs. Willson. Naturally they desired to see the new capitol building, so about 4 o'clock the Governor obtained a two-seated surrey with a double team from a local livery stable for the purpose of driving their guests out to the new capitol, and to see other sights of interest about the city. The Governor drove the horses, with Mrs. Lyman on the front seat with him, and Mrs. Willson and Mr. Lyman in the rear.

## Shies at Street Car.

Although one of the horses appeared to be restless when they started, Governor Willson proved himself a good reinsman, and had them well in hand until the turn was made south on Shelby street toward the new capitol. Between Third and Fourth streets the fractious animal shied at a passing street car and began to run. Governor Willson took hold of the reins with a will, and immediately the horse began kicking. It was soo nastride the pole, and, kicking the whiffletree loose, both took the bits in their teeth and dashed madly up the thoroughfare.

Although Shelby is one of the principal residence streets of the city, no other vehicles were encountered, and there were but few pedestrians on the streets as the weather was raw and chilly. Mr. Lyman devoted himself to re-assuring the ladies, while the Governor gave his time to the racing animals.

It seemed that he would be able to keep them in the center of the thoroughfare, when in their plunging and kicking the pole broke. It was then almost impossible to guide them, and they darted from one side of the avenue to the other, dragging the surrey behind them at a fearful rate and with danger of overturning it at every step.

## Surrey is Overturned.

Just in front of the residence of Assistant Attorney General John F. Lockett the frightened horses darted to the sidewalk. The surrey careened on two wheels at the sudden move and then went over completely. The occupants were buried almost out of sight under the vehicle. With a few desperate kicks the horses were loose and off.

Governor Willson was the first even to partially extricate himself, and he called for help, which came quickly and the heavy vehicle was removed. All arose to their feet, except Mrs. Willson, who lay still in the gutter. She was unconscious and was hurriedly picked up and carried to the door of Judge Lockett's home. This was locked, and no answer coming to their raps, she was taken across the street to the home of Dr. H. M. Leonard.

Dr. Neville Garrett, Dr. H. S. Keeler and Dr. John G. South soon responded to calls, and made a quick examination, ascertaining that, beside her broken left wrist, and the loss of two teeth, which are believed to have been knocked out when she was thrown against the curb, her injuries are not serious. It was feared at first that she was hurt internally, but no evidence of this could be discovered. Governor Willson was shaken

# ENQUIRER POINTS OUT RESULT OF THE POOL

Of the Burley Tobacco on Various Lines of Trade in the City of Cincinnati.

To the Editor of The News: Why has the city press been practically a unit against our pool? Why has it been deaf to even a megaphoned presentation of our side of the case? Why have the champions of the down-trodden grower, the once despised and in his subservience almost despicable planter, been forced to buy space in the columns of the so-called educator of the people, actually purchase it at advertising rates, when they undertook to tell the truth?

If these questions have puzzled the tobacco grower, he has now one of the reasons, a very potent one, in the following long-drawn, artistic wail in the Cincinnati Enquirer of Saturday:

## ENORMOUS Losses to the City Trade, the Final Result of the Great Tobacco War.

"Comparatively few people outside of the burley leaf tobacco trade know or have given thought to the extent to which the recently closed 'tobacco war' has hurt and injured the trade of this city, not only in the many lines of business connected therewith. For instance, certain hotels in Cincinnati were always crowded at this season of the year with planters, buyers for outside manufacturers, brokers who were heavy purchasers for foreign account, laborers engaged in the shipping and handling commission warehouse men whose profits came from the auction sales and storage of the weed before and after its sale, and teamsters who did the local hauling.

All these losses to the trade of the city were forecast in The Enquirer a few weeks ago when peace in the 'tobacco war' was finally declared, under the terms of which the crops of 1907 and 1908 (1906 and 1907) as held by the planters in their pools were turned over to the manufacturers, three-fourths of the holdings going to the American Tobacco Company and one-fourth to a number of the independent manufacturers.

The losses to the trade of Cincinnati by these deals are shown with startling effect by an examination of the leaf tobacco market report of The Enquirer on its market page this morning. In the present corresponding week of last year there were 1,699 hogsheds disposed of.

For the expired portion of the present year to date only 1,938 hogsheds were sold, and for the corresponding period of 1908 a total of 15,793 went over the auction breaks.

The receipts for the present week were only 209 hogsheds, for the second week in March, 1908, they were 4,052 hogsheds. For the present year to date, receipts were only 1,537 hogsheds, while for the corresponding period in 1908 they were 14,953 hogsheds.

Nor is this all, for as the tobacco planters are not coming now to the city to dispose of their crops, neither are they coming except to a very small extent to make their purchases, and they are missed in a hundred branches of jobbing and retail trade, where formerly they made their purchases of supplies of all kinds."

So "the final result of the great tobacco war" meant "enormous losses to the city's trade." Prequent headlines, those full of meat as an ostrich egg. And look at the last paragraph again.

When next an unwitting or conscious emissary of the trust whispers in your ear something about the cost connected with pooling, remember the above howl. It means that your hard-earned money, when spent in the marketing of your crop stays where it should stay, at home.

# SOME THINGS THAT ARE WORTH WHILE

Correspondent Points Out Work That is Being Done By Danville Civic League.

To the Editor of The News: While in your office on Friday, I chanced to pick up a copy of the Kentucky Advocate and my eye fell on a report made by the secretary of the Civic League of Danville, for 1908. The report seemed to me to have merit in it and I would like with your consent to relate briefly some of the work done by this league of earnest, intelligent women.

"First, The Educational Committee established friendly relations with the teachers of all county schools, secured a free day at the Danville Fair last August for all children enrolled in the county schools, raised \$50 to be used in educational work, visited county teacher's institute, secured Miss Partridge for two lectures on educational matters and adopted Caldwell School and presented to this school a book-case containing 115 good books.

Second, The Forestry Committee planted a hedge about the court house yard, secured Mr. Mills and Mr. Atkinson to deliver public lectures on Forestry, held Arbor Day with one school, superintended the improvement of McDowell Park and gave \$25 toward the work.

The league secured \$65 for the anti-tuberculosis movement and has made a successful campaign for clean streets and a proper enforcement of the local option laws. The dues paid in, amounted to \$218.35. Expenditures, were \$173.19.

We do some talking in Winchester and Clark county about progress and we are certainly doing some things well, but I do think some of the time, thought and interest given to "42" might be well expended on just such enterprises as the above.

Yours truly,

"B."

## INCESSANT RAINS DELAY FARM WORK.

Rye, Wheat and Grass Looking Well in Montgomery County. Market For Fat Cattle Active.

MT. STERLING, Ky., March 15.—Incessant rains during the past week have put all farm work backward and farmers have had nothing to do except sort seed corn and feed stock. Hundreds of tobacco beds sown have been considerably damaged by the heavy rains, and many will have to be resown. Rye wheat and grass are looking well, and with a few warm sunny days bluegrass fields will be in splendid shape and with an outlook for early pasturage.

Indications point to an enormous tobacco crop, with the outlook for hemp growth poor, and a smaller corn crop than in many a year. The crop this year, while large, brought high prices, an average of \$3.15 per barrel, and with a decrease in the acreage, \$4.00 to \$5.00 corn may be expected by next spring. Well posted tobacco men here do not take much to the idea that the price will be low, but believe good figures will be realized for the next two years at least.

The report that tobacco will be grown in other States has not had much effect on those who have kept up with conditions for years. Corn is selling low now at \$3.75 per barrel with good hay at \$9.50 to \$10.00 per ton. More fat cattle are being handled here at the present time than ever known before, there are about 4,200 in this county, some few have been sold for July delivery, but the markets and conditions generally do not indicate the high prices of the past summer.

## DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Mr. G. P. Martin.

News of the death of Mr. G. P. Martin, formerly of this city, at the Confederate Home at Powee Valley, was received here Monday morning by friends and relatives. Mr. Martin formerly lived here and is well known to a large number of friends here who will regret to hear of his death. Mr. Martin was over 80 years of age and his death was due to the infirmities of old age.

Mr. Martin is survived by two sisters, Miss Rachel Martin and Mrs. Ellen Backner, both of this city. The funeral services will be held in Lexington Monday afternoon and the burial will take place in the Lexington cemetery.

## CUTS OFF HIS FINGERS.

Mr. W. J. Bush had the ends of two fingers cut off Friday morning at his shop on the corner of Winn avenue and Main street.

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# You Cannot Answer These Questions!

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4—Why have a dry, dismal-looking yard when you can have it filled with green grass and blooming flowers, and can at the same time get rid of the dust in the street?

5—Why suffer other inconveniences when you can have everything for the comfort and health of your family right in the house?

6—Is it not true that the answer is not "lack of money," but lack of economy and enterprise and indifference to getting the most out of life?

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## BULLDOG GIVES UP LIFE FOR MASTER

LUMBERMAN, ACCOMPANIED BY  
PET, HAS DESPERATE FIGHT  
WITH WOLVES.

### CANINE DOES DEADLY WORK

Frank Trathin Gives Up Work, Buys  
Rifle and Starts Out to Avenge  
Death of Animal by Slaugh-  
ter of Brutes.

Traverse City, Mich.—Frank Trathin of Emerson, which is 45 miles north of Newberry, is mourning the loss of his fine bulldog, and that mourning is none the less sincere because the bulldog died in the defense of Trathin's life.

Emerson is only a small place, consisting of six or seven houses and a sawmill, and the sawmill is the excuse for the village, as well as for numerous camps in the thick woods. Toward one of these camps Trathin started rather late one afternoon. The bulldog always accompanied him when he went, and in this case it was lucky that he did.

Trathin has no love for wolves, but despised them for their cowardice, believing that they would not dare attack a man in the daylight, hence he took no weapon with him. After he had gone some distance on his way, he became aware of the fact that he was being followed by wolves. The bulldog was much affected by this and he would run back, growl and then, with his hair standing on end, would use every means at his command to induce his master to hasten. The conduct of the dog was such, the animal not usually being afraid of anything on four legs, that its fears were communicated to Trathin, and he started to run.

This was the worst thing he could have done, as at once four wolves closed in upon him. He had just time to grab a stout club and back up to a tree when they were upon him. With the assistance of the dog, he managed to beat them off and make them keep their distance until within sight of the



With the Assistance of the Dog He  
Managed to Beat Them Off.

camp. Then the animals seemed to perceive that their prey was about to escape them and again they attacked the man, apparently rendered desperate by hunger.

This time the battle was even more strenuous than at first, and the attack was so sudden that Trathin and his dog were caught in a space so that the four animals could attack him on all four sides. For several minutes he fought them off with his stick, the dog fighting valiantly, and finally the bulldog grabbed one of the brutes by the throat. This relieved Trathin and he beat about with the stick to such good effect that the three wolves departed, the bulldog lying down in the snow with its victim, waiting for it to die.

With his face and his hands bleeding and his clothes practically torn to ribbons, Trathin ran into the camp just at dusk and, as soon as he could speak, told the men his story. He was given a rifle and, with several lumberjacks, set out to kill the band.

Arriving at the place where the last battle had occurred, the men saw the four wolves apparently fighting among themselves. Firing into the bunch, two of them were killed and the other two escaped. Lying to one side was all that was left of the bulldog.

When Trathin left the other three wolves had returned to aid their companion, and the bulldog, to save his own life, had been obliged to let go his wolf and fight the others. The other was not hurt to any great extent and joined the other three, the odds of four to one being too much even for a fighting dog. But before the bulldog was wiped out he had given a good account of himself, as the bodies of the two dead wolves showed. The animals had been engaged in eating the body of the dog when driven away.

Trathin has sworn an oath of vengeance against all wolves. He has purchased a Winchester, given up lumbering and spends his time killing the forest prowlers, which are said to be more numerous this year than ever and killing many more deer.

#### The Early Bird.

The man who thinks he is going to succeed merely because he gets up early is likely to be a failure.—Chicago Record-Herald.



## THE STAGE



A SCENE FROM "STRONGHEART"

#### "Strongheart."

"Strongheart," the play of college life by Wm. C. De Mille which has scored so heavily in the past three years will be offered at the Opera House Thursday, March 18.

The merit of this production is so well known in this city it is quite sure that playgoers will realize that the coming of "Strongheart" means an attraction beyond the average announcement at the local theatre.

This is the fourth season of

"Strongheart" and to all appearances there is no lessening of the interest manifested in it when it was first produced. Its tour this season has thus far been most successful and the star's portrayal of the college bred Indian has earned him greater praise than anything he has ever done.

The quiet dignity of the Red Man is in keeping with the nature of the star and as the story progresses and the great third act gives it such a highly dramatic turn he has ample

force to meet the situation. His work has always been noted for its keen intelligence and finish, and from all accounts he has never appeared in anything where these characteristics are more clearly demonstrated. The company which Mr. Harris has provided for the support, includes several players who have been identified with "Strongheart" since it was first produced, and every one of them was chosen with a view to maintaining the college atmosphere of the pretty comedy.

#### Courage at the Counter.

Success never yet came to the man who lost courage at the first rebuff; but many men have courted failure by allowing the inevitable disappointments of an imperfect world to check their efforts.—From the Grocer.

#### Inquisitiveness Reduced.

An Elizabeth man chased from his house with a shotgun the doctor who proposed to hold an autopsy on the body of the citizen's wife for gratification of scientific curiosity. There will be no tendency to blame him. The Paul Pry with a scalpel is annoyingly inquisitive.

#### Caught Live Fox with Coat.

Catching a fox alive with an overcoat is a feat performed by David Clinard, a member of the Fox Hunt club of Winston Salem, N. C. After a long and exciting chase Mr. Clinard with six hounds had tired Reynard out, and in doubling the fox came so near Mr. Clinard that he threw his long overcoat over the animal and succeeded in capturing it just before the dogs arrived.—Fur News.

#### When the Sea Flows into the Seine.

A strange phenomenon takes place at little Caudebec twice a year. The sea, announced by a thundering sound and an undulating swell that runs along the river's face, comes up from the channel and flows into the Seine. Tranquil and hitherto unruffled, the river receives this violent visitor in one undulous wave that rushes like a tide along the surface of the water.—Harper's Monthly Magazine.

#### Whole Race Condemned.

A native of Annam, Indo-China, sentenced in Paris for theft, wrote the following apology to his employer: "All Annamites, whether emperors, mandarins, secretaries, literary men, and others, are born thieves. It is a grave and deadly complaint, and there is no cure for it. I know people do not like thieves in France, but it cannot be helped."

#### Very Thin.

A policeman named Graham, operating in Philadelphia, found a baby in a doorway and it was promptly christened "Graham Waiver." It's the amusing side of an incident that in itself isn't amusing, but there may be a lot doing when that boy becomes big enough to resent being called a cracker.—Detroit Free Press.

#### Your Liver.

A bad liver is a public enemy. It is morose and growly and picks fault in everything. It breaks up families and creates dissensions among neighbors. It is suspicious, envious, and quarrelsome. There is nothing the state need get after, on the score of the general welfare, more than the bad, vile and riotous livers which occupy the land.—Ohio State Journal.

#### Modest Modern Man.

Whatever may be said of the modern man, he cannot be said to be lacking in modesty. While the ancients did their utmost to prove that they issued from the gods, we do our best to demonstrate that we have descended from monkeys.—Paris Journal.

#### A Prayer.

Teach us to know the healing influence of beauty, and so to realize the insidious evil of all that mars the landscape; comprehending, too, that ugliness, wherever found, is opposed to the harmonious development of man's thought and to the design of Thy creation.—Edward Irving Farrington.

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### VALUABLE POSTAL INFORMATION.

J. S. McKinley, of Orient, Ohio, president of the Ohio State League of Postmasters, has prepared and issued the following information with regard to the postal service and how the people may help:

When you address your letters or cards with a lead pencil see that the address is plainly written. Most letters lost are improperly addressed; you had better use a pen and ink.

When you address a letter see that you spell the name of the town correctly. Many postoffices have similar names. Don't write Cin. for Cincinnati, or Col. for Columbus.

When you address a letter or card leave room for the stamp and postmark in the upper right hand corner. Postmarks often blur your address.

Do not put writing in newspapers or packages; if you do the matter becomes first-class mail and you must pay letter postage—two cents an ounce, or you are liable to a fine of \$10.

Written or typewritten letters placed in unsealed envelopes are subject to the same rate of postage as when sealed—two cents an ounce.

Post cards in transparent envelopes will go at the rate of one cent if unsealed, provided there is nothing more than the address of the one to receive it and the name of the sender. Stamp must be placed on envelope and not on card when enclosed in transparent envelope.

Post cards containing writing and inclosed in transparent envelope, whether sealed or unsealed, must bear a two-cent stamp and the stamp must be placed on the envelope instead of the card.

Send money by postoffice money order, for if it is sent in this manner, if lost in the mails the Post Office Department will issue you another order.

Send valuable papers or merchandise by first-class registered mail, for the Post Office Department will make good any loss in the mail not exceeding \$25.

Patrons of postoffice can get better service by renting a box. If you have a box the postmaster's work is lightened, and your mail is not handled or looked over like it is in the general delivery. The Post Office Department makes great conveniences for you, so do not hesitate to help in return.

When you mail a letter or package see that it is substantially done up. The rapid handling of the mails sometimes destroys a poor envelope or covering of a package, and your mail is thus lost.

You should put your name and postoffice on the package, and if not delivered it will be returned to you, but you will have to repay the postage (unless it is first-class.)

When you move to another postoffice notify the postmaster from our former postoffice to forward your mail and notify the publishers of your papers that you have changed your postoffice.

Letters from the pension agency can be delivered only to the person to whom addressed or to some member of his or her family especially authorized to receive the mail.

If you have friends visiting you, have their mail sent in your care.

Use an ordinary size envelope and

have on it your return card; if it is not delivered it will be returned to you, and not go to the Dead Letter Office, as thousands of letters do.

If you receive a letter by mistake and it is not yours, don't open it, but return it promptly; and if you do open write on envelope "opened by mistake," and sign your name.

#### KENTUCKY FAIRS, 1909.

Clark County August 3rd, 4 days.  
Scott county, July 27th, 4 days.  
Blue Grass, Lexington, August 9th, 6 days.

Roeckcastle county, August 18, 3 days.  
Bourbon county, September 7th, 5 days.

State Fair, Louisville, September 13th, 6 days.  
Lincoln county, July 21, 3 days.

Spencer county, August 10, 4 days.  
Mercer county, August 12, 3 days.

Knox county, August 18, 3 days.  
Ewing, Ky., August 19, 3 days.

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#### Health.

Bad as conditions are to-day, great progress has been made during the last 20 years. People are growing more careful as to what they eat and drink. There is no city that is not bestirring itself to improve its water supply and its system of sanitation. The demand for more fresh air is almost a fad in progressive communities.

District of Columbia.

The District of Columbia comprises an area of 69,245 square miles. The government consists of two civilian commissioners appointed by the president and confirmed by the senate, and one army engineer officer, detailed by the secretary of war, the three constituting the board of commissioners for three years.

Injurious Only to Pedestrian.

The white car tore very smoothly along the straight road between the fields. "And they say"—her red lips curled in a disdainful smile—"they say that the jar of automobilism is injurious to the nerves!" "Pooh," he sneered, "it is only foot passengers who say that!" And he steered with splendid skill straight at a fat old man with a sack of grain on his back.

He Wanted Some.

The banquet table was spread and the guests about to be summoned. "Are you sure that there are no reporters present?" anxiously asked the host of the butler. "I've made certain of it, sir." "Then hustle out and get a few," rejoined the host.

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### GOVERNMENT NOT LIABLE

Lieutenant of New York Police Force Murdered at Palermo While On Trail of Black Hand Leaders Does Not Come Under Protection Granted Diplomatic and Consular Bodies. Must Be Considered as Ordinary American Citizen Abroad.

Rome, March 15.—The question has been raised in Rome as to whether the United States is entitled to special satisfaction from the Italian government on account of the murder of Lieutenant Joseph Petrosino of the New York police department at Palermo, while he was securing evidence against the Black Hand society.

While the nature of the crime was such as to stir the hearts of all the people, the officials have taken occasion to point out that only the diplomatic and consular bodies are under the special protection of the government and that only in the event of a member of one or the other of these bodies being assassinated by an Italian in this country could the government be held in a measure responsible.

Petrosino did not come under this head, but was in the same category as any American citizen abroad contemplated in the treaty between Italy and the United States concluded Feb. 26, 1871, establishing that the subjects of each country shall enjoy the same protection and security for their persons and property as natives.

The American ambassador has made further representations to the foreign office, setting forth the imperative necessity for the protection of both Italians and Americans, of bringing the assassins of Petrosino to justice. The foreign office officials assured him that everything possible was being done by the Italian government and promised that he should be kept informed of all developments. The general inspector of police has already proceeded to Palermo to make a full investigation, and the government, in addition to leaving nothing untried to discover the criminals, has offered large rewards for their capture.

### ITALIAN POLICE SLOW

Have Failed to Report Petrosino's Death to New York Officials.

New York, March 15.—Though there was an air of quiet activity at police headquarters, nearly all of the chief officials having been there and in conference, no definite developments regarding the work of tracing the assassins of Lieutenant Joseph Petrosino, in Palermo, Sicily, were announced. There was a feeling of chagrin and even resentment over the fact that not one word regarding the murder of the noted New York detective had come from the Italian police, despite the fact that a cable had been sent them asking certain information.

Inspector McCafferty, head of the detective service here, made some caustic remarks over the neglect on the part of the Italian police. He said: "If an Italian detective sent here on a mission by that government and working in behalf of the Italian police had been murdered in New York, we would have notified the slain man's home department at once. So far as the police of Italy are concerned we have not heard a word of Petrosino's death. I cabled for information but have received no answer from Palermo."

The inspector said that he was particularly to know whether Petrosino had been robbed after being shot. He intimated that Petrosino had some papers valuable to the police here in running down Black Hand and Italian offenders. The neglect of the Palermo police makes it impossible for the police here to know whether Petrosino had these papers in his possession when slain, and whether or not the assassins secured them. The inspector said that Petrosino had letters of instruction from the department here which, if stolen by the murderers, would reveal to the Italian criminals just what plans the police of New York have on foot.

### MANY ARRESTS MADE

Sicilian Police Round Up All Natives With Bad Records.

Palermo, Sicily, March 15.—The assassination of Lieutenant Petrosino has stirred the police to unprecedented activity. Many arrests already have been made, and these include a number of Italians with criminal records who lately have returned from the United States.

The suspicions of the police are especially centered on two notorious criminals, one of whom is a thief of international reputation and the other an assassin to whose door are laid many crimes committed in New York. The latter was obliged to leave the United States because of the stringent watch kept upon him by Petrosino.

The authorities at Palermo have ar-

ranged for the funeral and the body will be shipped to New York, according to instructions received from that city.

### PETROSINO'S MISSION

Rumored He Went to Italy to Guard Theodore Roosevelt.

Naples, March 15.—A story is current here that Petrosino, although he was engaged in the special mission of compiling the records of Italian criminals, came to Italy for the purpose also of protecting ex-President Roosevelt during the latter's approaching visit. It is even stated that Petrosino intended to accompany the ex-president during his stay here, and perhaps after that, disguised as a monk.

Man Loses Ear Temporarily. Dayton, O., March 15.—Walter Knocker struck Emory Smith on the head with a hickory club, cutting off his ear. It was picked up from the sidewalk and sewed in place by a physician.

### INTEREST CENTERS IN HART'S CHARGE

Judge Anderson Confident Coopers Will Be Freed.

Nashville, Tenn., March 15.—Interest in the trial of Colonel Duncan B. Cooper, Robin J. Cooper and John D. Sharp for the killing of Former Senator E. W. Carmack centers in the charge of Judge Hart to the jury, and especially as to his probable definition of an overt act.

The state contends that Colonel Cooper, when he turned around and sought Carmack that November afternoon, committed an overt act, which, taken in connection with the transmitted threats, would have justified



JUDGE HART.

Carmack in killing Colonel Cooper on sight. Early in the case Judge Hart apparently took the same view, but Judge Anderson of the defense hotly combated this contention and quoted voluminous decisions to the contrary. It is significant that Judge Hart asked for memoranda of these decisions.

The other instructions upon which a verdict may hinge concern the law of self-defense, mental condition of the Coopers, mental condition of the dead senator, the effect of the threats and the credibility of witnesses.

Judge Anderson in discussing the case said: "We will get a verdict of acquittal within 30 minutes after the jury is discharged." It is generally believed that a delay on the part of the jury in reporting will be taken as an unfavorable omen for the defense.

### ODDS FAVOR HAYES

American Expected to Defeat Dorando In Tonight's Marathon.

New York, March 15.—Tonight Johnny Hayes and Dorando Pietri, the Marathon runners, will try conclusions for the third time. In London last summer Dorando led the way into the stadium, but collapsed, and the long race went to Hayes. In a return race in Madison Square Garden on Thanksgiving eve the Italian just nosed out the American runner. The present contest is expected to settle decisively the question as to who is the better man at the Marathon distance.

Both men have trained hard for the race and are confident of success. The betting favors Hayes. His supporters point to the fact that his defeat by Dorando was due to his poor condition and lack of training. Dorando's two defeats by Longboat are also counted against him.

Government Forces Defeated. Tangier, March 15.—Reports received here from Fez say that the forces of the pretender, Reghi, which are advancing on that city, have defeated the government's troops.

### WILLSON IN RUNAWAY

Kentucky's Governor Has Close Call From Death.

Frankfort, Ky., March 15.—Governor and Mrs. Willson and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Lyman of New York, very narrowly escaped death when the horses attached to Governor Willson's carriage ran away. As a result of the accident Mrs. Willson was rendered unconscious, two of her front teeth were broken and her left wrist fractured; Governor Willson was bruised on many parts of his body, and Mrs. Lyman's face was cut and contused.

## CLEANING PLOWS MAKING READY

Farmers Wait Only For Dry Weather and the Drying of the Soil.

In a short time the farmers will begin their planting and preparations are already going forward in the way of cleaning plows and mending harrows and other implements.

Much ground was broken during the winter months for the spring crops, and the present prospects are that an unusually large acreage of corn, tobacco and hemp will be planted. The tobacco beds have, for a large part, been burned and sown. Some of the ground has been broken, but in cases where sod land is to be planted, it will not be broken until later as the growing grass is a great fertilizer.

Hemp is usually sown in the early part of April, and from the present prospects a large acreage will be raised despite the fact that a bumper crop of tobacco also will be planted. Barren are being built over the country and every indication is that a record-breaking crop of the latter will be put in. The drought last fall, while doing a great deal of damage at the time, has proven to have been a blessing to the ground as with little cultivation the earth will pulverize more easily.

The wheat has come out wonderfully during the last month, and is rapidly stooling, making the prospect for a great yield very bright. During the fall the wheat did not seem to be doing well, and it was thought that the crop for the year would be a failure, but as it is coming out rapidly, the farmers are elated over the prospects.

Barley and rye are also doing well. The potato crop was not up to the standard last year, nevertheless the farmers will put in about the average acreage this year. The shearing of sheep will start in a short time, and it is said that the wool this year will be cleaner than heretofore. More sheep are being raised in Fayette county and the price of twenty cents per pound that is offered to the annual income of the farmers.

## NEW RAILROAD FOR MOUNTAIN COUNTIES

To Run Seventy-Five Miles Through Rich Kentucky Country is Incorporated.

Legal papers indicating the projecting of 75 miles of new railroad through some of the richest coal and timber producing counties of the State were filed with the Secretary of State, and the State Railroad Commission at Frankfort Friday. The new company which is incorporating is the Cumberland & Northwestern Railroad Company. The articles set forth that the line is to run from Artemus, Knox county, through the counties of Knox, Clay, Owsley and Lee to Beattyville, in Lee county. The principal office of the railroad will be at Manchester, Clay county.

The new company will have \$100,000 capital stock and is authorized by the articles to incur an indebtedness or liabilities to the amount of \$3,000,000.

The incorporators of the new road are nearly all promoters of Knoxville, Tenn. They are S. P. Condon, F. S. Mead, E. L. Thomas, J. H. Graham, all of Knoxville; B. C. Milner, of Louisville; C. B. Lyttle and W. O. Gloster, of Manchester. Graham is named as the president, Condon as vice president, and Thomas as secretary-treasurer, with them and others as directors for the next year.

It is said that the work of construction of this new railroad will begin in the early spring.

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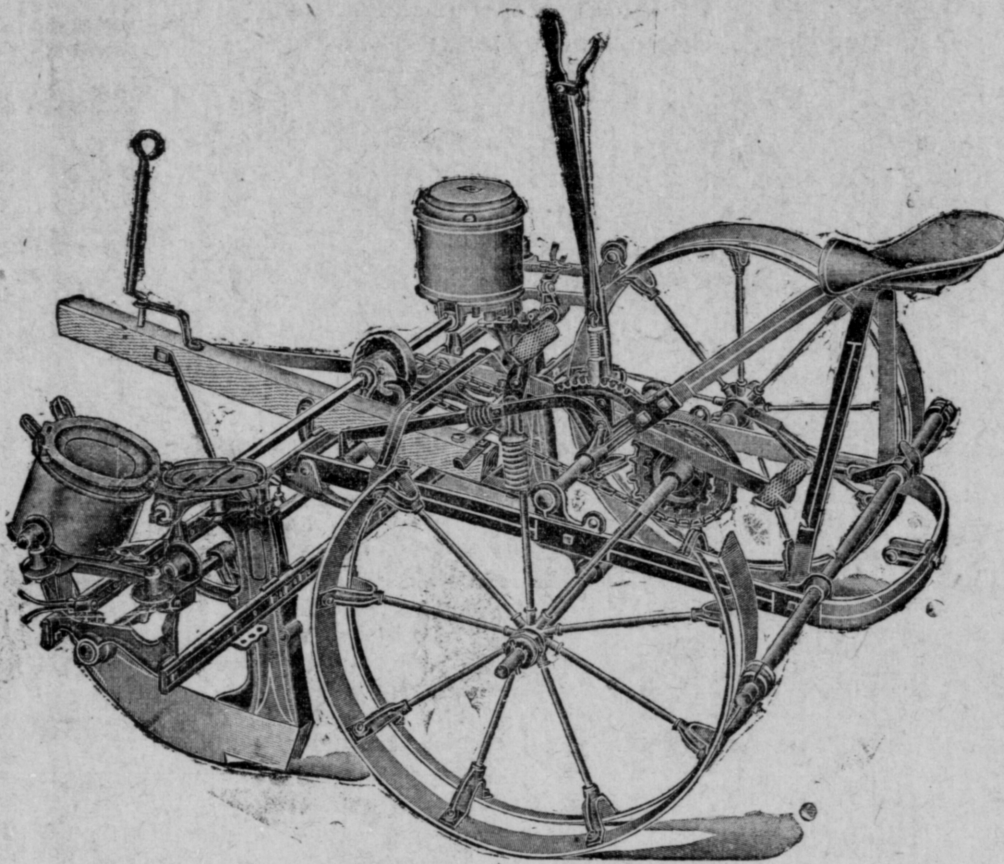
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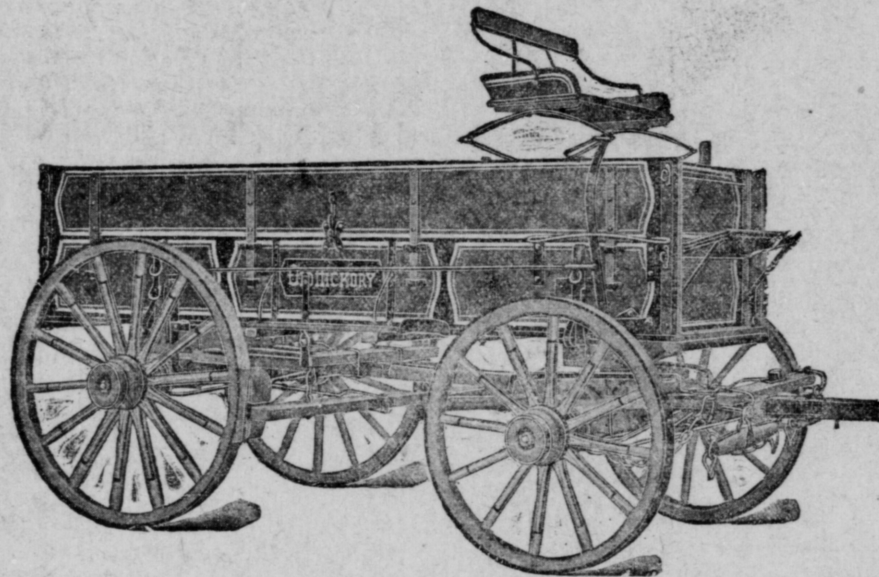
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## NO MESSAGE FROM TAFT

Has Not Had Time to Prevent Tariff Views—May Send One in Tuesday.

Special to The News.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—President Taft has not had an opportunity to write his tariff message. The prospects are that he will not write the message before tomorrow. It will be brief.

Before All Things, Humility. Humility is the A, B, C of spiritual life.—St. Vincent.

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## WINCHESTER IS TO PLAY SUNDAY BASEBALL

Action of League Directors Compel Local Club to Rescind the Former Action.

At a called meeting of the Board of Directors and a few of the stockholders of the Winchester baseball team held Saturday afternoon, the board decided to rescind its recent action in cutting out Sunday ball and will play according to the original schedule.

This action was necessitated by the determination of the league directors to have the schedule played as adopted or to compel the Winchester club to get out of the league.

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## NEXT CIRCUIT COURT TERM WILL BE LIGHT

Only Two Suits Filed and Commonwealth Docket is Small.

From the present indication the next term of Circuit Court that begins the first Monday in April will be devoted almost entirely to old and continued suits for up to the present time only two new suits have been filed and two or three colored divorce cases. The Commonwealth docket so far is very light and will take but a short time to dispose of.

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